GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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Kidney Rackets
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether several doctors, kidney donors and other persons have been arrested by a Special Investigation Team (SIT) in the kidney racket case in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof and total number of such cases reported and the action taken against guilty persons during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise; and

(c) the effective steps taken by the Government to check such cases in the country?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)

(a) to (b): National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB) has started collecting data on cases reported under the Transplantation of Human Organs Act, 1994 since 2014. State/UT wise cases reported, cases chargesheeted, cases convicted, persons arrested, persons chargesheeted and persons convicted under the Transplantation of Human Organs Act, 1994 during
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2014 is enclosed at Annexure-I. Recently one case vide FIR No. 268/16 dated 02.06.16 u/s 120 B/419/420/468/471 IPC & 18/19/20 Transplantation of Human Organs Act, P.S. Sarita Vihar has been registered by Delhi Police. The details of the case may be seen at Annexure-II.

(c): 'Public Health', 'Police' and 'Public Order' are State subjects under the Seventh Schedule to the Constitution of India and therefore, the State Governments are primarily responsible for prevention, detection, registration and investigation of crime and for prosecuting the criminals through the machinery of their law enforcement agencies as also for protecting the life and property of the citizens. The Ministry of Home Affairs has issued an Advisory on Prevention, Registration, Investigation and Prosecution of Crime to all the State Governments/UT Administrations.

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